

SEE NO CHANCE TO END STRIKE.

**Clothing Employers Firm
Against Recognition.**

**Dress and Shirtwaist Makers
May Resume Work.**

**Each Side Appears Prepared
for Long Siege.**

(BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)
NEW YORK, Jan. 19.—There was no indication today of any change in front either on the part of manufacturers or strikers, as the fourth week of the garment-makers' strike began. The strikers are said to be just as impatient as ever that their union shall be recognized, while Eugene S. Benjamin, president of the New York Clothing Trades Association, remains firm against this concession. Each side avers that they are well organized and financially strong enough to maintain their positions for some time to come.

Two meetings to ratify the agreement entered into Saturday between the manufacturers and the leaders of the dress and shirtwaist branch of the garment making industry by which the strikers are to return to work tomorrow morning were held today. In each meeting there seemed to be only a half-hearted acquiescence by the workers in the plans of their leaders. The protocol affects 129 shops and close to 30,000 operatives. It is expected, however, that only about half the latter will return to work to go back it would leave more than 100,000 workers still on strike in other branches of the garment trades.

BURNS HIS HOME, COMMITTS SUICIDE.

**LOUIE FARMER PREVENTS WIFE
FROM GETTING HOUSE.**

WEALTHY LAND OWNER ADOPTS
UNUSUAL METHOD OF REVENGING HIM-
SELF ON WOMAN WHO HAD BEEN
EMPLOYED BY HIM TO TAKE
POSSESSION OF THE RANCH PROPERTY.

(BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)
LODI (CAL.) Jan. 19.—This morning at 8 o'clock C. H. Enlow, a wealthy land owner of this district, burned the house on his ranch a mile south of town and committed suicide. Saturday, Enlow's wife was empowered by the courts to take possession of the home ranch, where Enlow had been living since he figured in an affair with another woman. At that time Mrs. Enlow took a mortgage on the place, valued at \$15,000, in settlement of property interests. When the papers were signed Saturday Mrs. Enlow insured the home for \$100,000, which she may now collect.

Eight years ago, Myrtle, eldest daughter of the Enlows, was burned.

FIRST IN THE JOURNALISTIC PROCESSION.

During the Year 1912 the Los Angeles Times Printed Four Million More Lines of Advertising Than Any Other Newspaper on Earth, and Surpassed Its Own Previously Unequaled Record by Over One Million Lines.

The newspaper advertising record for another year has been written. The official returns for 1912 are in, and, for the seventh consecutive year, The Times has won the pennant from all the newspapers in the United States.

The Times' advertising record for 1912 has never been equaled, in any single year, in the history of the world, by any other newspaper at home or abroad.

The reason for The Times' year in and year out world-wide advertising supremacy is that the superior quantity, quality and purchasing power of its circulation among people who do things with both brain and brawn—people who are building an empire in the Pacific Southwest—make its advertising columns more profitable to its patrons than those of any other newspaper in the world.

The following figures, which are absolutely accurate, were carefully compiled by the Mail Order Journal, of Chicago, for the twenty-eight leading newspapers of the United States.

ADVERTISING 1912.	
	Lines.
Los Angeles Times	18,479,300
Pittsburg Press	14,419,979
Detroit News-Tribune	12,745,488
New York World	12,508,860
Montreal Star	11,938,615
Chicago Tribune	11,921,995
Seattle Times	11,057,060
San Francisco Post-Dispatch	11,034,530
San Francisco Examiner	10,853,146
Minneapolis Journal	10,130,438
Brooklyn Eagle	9,792,227
New York Herald	9,612,701
Minneapolis Tribune	9,607,717
Philadelphia Inquirer	9,539,400
New York Times	9,544,896
Chicago News	9,767,524
Denver Post	8,690,153
Boston Globe	8,642,111
Baltimore News	8,908,300
Chicago Examiner	7,142,271
Chicago Record-Herald	6,706,107
St. Paul Dispatch	6,514,794
St. Paul Pioneer Press	6,577,788
Milwaukee Journal	6,337,430
San Francisco Chronicle	6,150,124
San Francisco Call	5,115,357
Milwaukee Sentinel	4,999,348
Chicago American	3,550,512

The Times' wonderful record reflects the energy and business acuity of local merchants, who are the best advertisers in America, and is indicative of the marvelous progress and prosperity of Los Angeles and the advancing Southwest.

STARVATION IN CORN BELT.

Wife Is Dead and Her Husband on Brink of the Grave.

(A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)
KANSAS CITY, Jan. 19.—Mrs. Sarah E. Erwin, 37 years old, died of starvation yesterday and her husband, a laborer, is in the hospital in a critical condition from the same cause. Erwin was unable to get work and he had no money to procure food. He and his wife remained in their little cottage in the east bottoms four days without food.

to death in the home her father destroyed this morning. Enlow ended his life by poison. About seventy-five yards from the house a bunk house, and here Enlow's body was found. A shotgun with one barrel discharged was found near the body. Part of his beard had been shot away and his face badly burned, but no wounds were visible. The inquest Monday will determine the cause of death.

The suicide was a pioneer of this district and aged about 45 years.

TO STRIKE IN SYMPATHY.

Chicago Garment Workers to Vote Tomorrow on Proposition of General Walk-Out.

(BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)
CHICAGO, Jan. 19.—Chicago garment workers will vote here Tuesday on a proposition to call a general strike. According to several leaders the men are in favor of joining the New York garment workers in a walk-out.

The announcement that the garment workers probably would strike was made today at a meeting of the Chicago Federation of Labor. Delegates from the garment workers asked aid from the federation for themselves—when the strike should be officially declared—and for the New York garment workers who were said to be feeling the first touches of want. A resolution was adopted, authorizing members of the garment workers' union to solicit funds among various labor organizations to aid the strikers in New York.

Louis J. Horvich, president of the Thompson-Starrett Construction Company, on whose building jobs the ironworkers are on strike here, will arrive in Chicago tomorrow to make an attempt to effect a settlement.

GIVEN WAGE INCREASE.

Fifteen Thousand Mechanics and Shopmen on New Haven System Accept Compromise Rate.

(BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)
BOSTON, Jan. 19.—A proposition for a 7 per cent. increase in pay affecting 15,000 mechanics and shopmen on the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad was accepted today by the Federated Council of Shop and Mechanical Trades Unions of the system. The unions asked a 15 per cent. wage advance and betterments in working hours. Today's agreement was reached after a week's conference between union and company officials.

DEATH ENDS AERIAL FEIGHT.

(BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)
BUENOS AIRES, Jan. 19.—(By A. P. Night Wire.) The Argentine aviator, Lieut. Orizone, while making a flight today near Brander, fell with his machine and was killed.

Utes Take Warpath.

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hastened to the Indians' stronghold, but was met with threatening rifles. A messenger, friendly to the Indians, was sent to talk with the leaders. They refused to enter into any agreement which meant the surrender of their companions.

The Sheriff thereupon retreated to Cortes and swore in a hundred deputies, thinking he could awe the Indians into submission by a show of greater strength. When the posse arrived at the point it was found that the Indians were even more defiant. The Sheriff retreated, seeking the aid of Indian Agent Spear.

RESENT KILLING OF BRAVE.

The Indians, it is said, are actuated by a clanish feeling of resentment against the whites because of insults to which they may a camp of sheepherders subjected them. Two weeks ago Big Rabbit and another Indian attempted to camp near the spot where a group of sheepherders had pitched their tents. The sheepherders, it is said, ordered them from the vicinity of their camp. The Indians retaliated and a fight ensued. A big band was killed and one sheepherder, Joseph Vigil, was injured. Big Rabbit carried his dead comrade back to the reservation and the killing aroused the anger of the Utes. Vigil will recover, it is believed, though he probably will lose the sight of an eye.

REBELS TAKE TWO TOWNS.

Garrison at Napanes Annihilated. Government Suspends Traffic on Railroad.

(BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)
MEXICO CITY, Jan. 19.—By order of Gen. Blanes, traffic between Mexico City and Toluca, has been suspended, owing to the presence of rebels in the State of Mexico. It is reported between San Angelo and Contreras, a hamlet about eight miles from Mexico City.

Napoles, in the State of Mexico, has been taken by the rebels and the small garrison wiped out. Petatlan, north of Acapulco, has also been captured by the rebels.

ROBBERS SHOOT GROCER'S WIFE.

Mounted Policeman Held Up in Chicago Captures Bandit and Finds He Is His Neighbor.

(BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)
CHICAGO, Jan. 19.—Mrs. Rebecca Raginsky, wife of a grocer, was shot in the back and probably fatally wounded tonight while attempting to rob her husband in a fight with robbers.

Two negroes had entered the store and drawing revolvers, commanded the grocer to hold up his hands. He complied with the demand and the other fled. During the fight the combatants struggled into the street where the robber managed to discharge his revolver. The bullet struck Mrs. Raginsky, who was making an effort to aid her husband.

Henry Fender caught a Tartar tonight when he attempts to hold up Enlow's. Fender, a colored policeman who was on his way home in plain clothes, Nehls seized Fender's gun and, breaking his wrist and took him to the station house where he discovered that Fender was a neighbor.

Several policemen have been held up and robbed by highwaymen lately. One officer was rescued in sympathy and star along with his other belongings.

WILL NOT SIGN BOND.

Richest Bachelor in St. Louis and Member of Union Not in Sympathy With Dynamiters.

(BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)
ST. LOUIS, Jan. 19.—With the declaration tonight by J. W. Wooster Lambert, a member of the Musicians' Mutual Benefit Association and known as St. Louis' richest bachelor, that he would not sign the \$70,000 appeal bond necessary to release P. J. Morrin and J. H. Barry from the Leavenworth penitentiary, the plans of obtaining the freedom of the St. Louis musicians' union, and the local Building Trades Council decided to turn to him to provide the appeal bond. He said tonight he was not in sympathy with the movement to free the convicted men.

OHIO IS STILL RISING.

Thousands of Acres of Farm Land Inundated and Much Live Stock and Grain Destroyed.

(BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)
EVANSVILLE (IND.) Jan. 19.—The Ohio River continued to rise today. City officials announced that all flood sufferers had been cared for.

LIVE STOCK DROWNED.

GOLCONDA (ILL.) Jan. 19.—The rise of the Ohio River is causing great damage to live stock and crops. Thousands of bushels of corn have been destroyed and many hogs and cattle have been drowned.

FARMS INUNDATED.

of acres of farming land in the vicinity of Cairo were flooded today when the Ohio River went to 45.5 feet, half a foot over the danger mark. Indications are the river will rise another six inches. Many farmers not yet in imminent danger are moving with their stock and household effects.

CHICKEN IS A WOMAN.

The Judge So Rules After He Takes a Good Look at the Dictionary. Arrested Man Is Discharged.

(BY FEDERAL (WIRELESS) LINE TO THE TIMES.)

HAGERSTOWN (MD.) Jan. 19.—(Special Dispatch.) Blaine Starnes kept himself out of jail by proving that he had studied his Webster and knew more about the definition of the word "chicken" than did Magistrate Moore before whom he was arraigned. Starnes was arrested on complaint of a young woman who charged he had accosted her with "Hag" and "chicken" and "company of 'Your honor' said Starnes when arraigned, 'I don't see that I did anything wrong. I called the young woman 'chicken,' a perfectly proper term. Just look in Webster's dictionary and you will find that I have transgressed no laws."

Magistrate Moore rummaged through his desk until he found an antiquated copy of Webster and turned to the word in dispute. He found:

"Chicken—The young of various birds, a child, a young woman." Magistrate Moore discharged the

HOW SENATE SHATTERED DREAM OF WORLD PEACE.

President Taft at New York Tells Hebrews How He Was Aroused from Nightmare—Crowds Jostle Nation's Executive as He Views Morgan Art Collection at Metropolitan Museum.

(BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)

NEW YORK, Jan. 19.—President Taft, an over-Sunday visitor in New York, assisted in the celebration tonight of the seventieth anniversary of the order of B'nai B'rith, addressing a large congregation which had gathered in the exorbitant Temple Bethel on Fifth avenue.

The President began his address with a reference to the medal recently presented to him by B'nai B'rith, a thought undeservedly, adding: "But honors don't come very often." Mr. Taft said the American people should profit by the Jews' example of love of liberty and love of guaranty of rights and equality, and their intensity of spirit.

"I don't like to drop into politics," he continued. "I don't seem to have been a grand success. But the American people will have to struggle over again in lessons of liberty and will have to be taught again the real value of the rights we now have and the restraint under which we enjoy them."

FIGHTING AROUND ACAPULCO.

Crowd Shouts It Will Fight American Intervention, But Not Under Madero's Leadership.

(BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)
MEXICO CITY, Jan. 19.—Late dispatches from Acapulco, which is believed to be invested by rebels, announce the arrival in that vicinity of Gen. Kozema at the head of Federal troops sent to relieve the inhabitants. The dispatches further say that skirmishing has occurred around Acapulco.

Five members of the Chamber of Deputies were among the speakers in a mass meeting held today to protest against the imprisonment of a newspaper man. All bitterly attacked the government, while Deputy Mohene gave a pledge to demand justice from the courts, and declared that if that was refused, he would call upon the people to revolt. Another deputy said that in the event of intervention he would be with Madero. The audience shouted: "No! We will fight, but without him."

NEW BANK CHARTERED.

WASHINGTON BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Jan. 19.—(Special Dispatch.) Charter has been issued for the First National Bank of Woodlake, Cal., with \$25,000 capital. James H. Blair, president; W. S. Bean, cashier, and for stockholders, J. C. Long, president, and D. J. Harriman, cashier.

THEATERS—AMUSEMENTS—ENTERTAINMENTS.

SULLIVAN & CONSIDINE VAUDEVILLE—S WEBER AND FIELDS'
NEWEST AND MOST ELABORATE MUSICAL COMEDY SUCCESS.

Fun in a Cabaret
PRESENTED BY THE ORIGINAL COMPANY OF 21 WITH
12 Weber & Fields' Broadway Beauties
Is the Extraordinary Headliner of the
BIG NEW 8-ACT BILL
Opening at The
Empress Today

PANTAGES BROADWAY VAUDEVILLE—BROADWAY near MERCANTILE.
3 SHOWS DAILY—2:30—7:10—9:00—10c-20c-30c

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Acrobatic Beauties
Those Famous Antipodean Gymnasium Girls
Captain Tieber's Sea Lions
and the Juggling, Rope-Walking Seals
"Little Miss Manicure"
CHAPERONED BY NEVENS & GORDON
THE FAVORITES
The Big, Popular Eight EXCLUSIVE FEATURES

THE AUDITORIUM "Theater Beautiful"
FAREWELL WEEK
LAMBARDI GRAND OPERA COMPANY
Beginning Tonight

Tonight: LUCIA With Vocalists: Agostini, Gioacchini, Martini, Grant. First Night in Los Angeles. Matinee: "AMICO FRATE!"
Tues. Night: "HABER OF SEVILLE." Wed. Eve. AIDA; Thurs. CARMEN; Fri. CAVALLERIA RUSTICANA and "FAGIACCO"; Sat. Mat. THAIS; Sat. Eve. IL TROVATORE.
Prices: Night and Sat. Mat. 25c to \$1.50. SPECIAL PRICE WED. MAT. 25c to \$1.

CENTURY THEATER—MAIN ST., BET. 4TH AND 6TH.
TONIGHT AND ALL THIS WEEK—JULIUS MENDELSON'S "HEINZ THE POLITICIAN."
Two shows nightly, 7:15 and 9:15. Matinee Wednesday, Saturday and Sunday, 2 P.M. Prices always 15c-35c.

VISIT THE CAWSTON OSTRICH FARM—
See the American ostrich feather industry in its country. "The most interesting sight in America." The farm you have read about for 15 years. Take South Pasadena cars on Main Street. Round-trip tickets, 25c, including admission, at P. M. Depot or city store, 215 South Broadway.

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MOROSCO'S BURBANK THEATER—
Here's a Comedy Hit That Will
In a Walk—It's a 100 to 1 Shot

Two absolutely capacity audiences at the Burbank theater yesterday evening were in the face of the rapid rotation of funny events THAT MOROSCO AFTER THE OTHER throughout the four acts of Henry M. Warner's comedy.

Checkers

A FULL DORSEY CURTAIN CALLS GREETED THE VIEWER OF THE RACING SCENE AT BOTH PERFORMANCES. "CHECKERS" IS ONE OF THE RARE, BRILLIANT, LIVELY PLAYS THAT YOU SIMPLY CAN'T HELP BUT ENJOY.

POSITIVELY THIS WEEK ONLY

Nights 25c, 50c and 75c—Matinees 25c and 50c

NEXT WEEK: The Daily Theater, N. Y. comedy success, "THE YOUTH" by Hayden Talbot. Seats go on sale this morning.

HAMBURGER'S MAJESTIC THEATER—

ONE WEEK ONLY—BEGINNING TONIGHT—GALA MATINEE WITH A NEW PLAY

The New Theater (N. Y.) Production of Masterlinck's "The Blue Bird"

SEATS SELLING FAST. Prices: Nights and Matinee, 10c to \$1.50.

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MATINEES WEDNESDAY AND SATURDAY. NO SUNDAY PERFORMANCES.

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THE COMEDY YOUR FRIENDS HAVE BEEN TELLING YOU TO GO TO THE BOX-OFFICE RARE THURSDAY, FRIDAY, SAT. AND SUN. SEATS WEDNESDAY MATINEE, ETC.

LOS ANGELES' Newest & Most Beautiful Playhouse

MOROSCO BROADWAY, BET. 7TH AND 8TH STS. MATINEES TONIGHT ONLY

This is the third and positively last week of the season's biggest comedy success.

The Fortune Hunter

That means that you must secure your seats once or you're very liable to be among the disappointed ones.

Nights 25-10-75c. (First 9 Rows, 31.) Matinee 15-50c. NEXT WEEK: First production on any stage of Paul Armstrong's new play "LOVE STORY OF THE ADAMS" Seats go on sale this morning.

LYCEUM THEATER—SPRING ST. GLASSER, FRANKLIN ST.

This Week—Positively Farewell Appearance

Special Return Engagement For One Week Only

THE WORLD'S GREATEST MAGICIAN AND ENTERTAINER

The Great Raymond

Positively his last appearance on the Pacific Coast before departure for the East and fourth round-the-world tour. The most gigantic amusement ever brought to this country; 74 acts of magic, jugglery, acrobatics, and other feats of strength and skill. The most complete and dazzling show ever presented in this country. "The Great Raymond" is a Living Conjuror, Magician and Illusionist on Earth today.

MASTER OF MIRACLES

THE GREAT RAYMOND has appeared before King Edward VII, King George V, Kaiser Wilhelm, Czar Nicholas, King Leopold, Emperor Franz Joseph, Queen Wilhelmina, King Alfonso, the Mikado of Japan and other monarchs. He has received many decorations.

Seats now on sale. Prices 25c to \$1.00. Extra bargain day matinee Monday, prices 15c and 10c. Usual matinee Saturday and Sunday.

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10c and 15c Why Pay More

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A Co. presenting for the first time in this city "THE FLORENCE TRAGEDY."

Louise Galloway, Joseph Kaufman and Company

In "Little Mother," by Edgar Allan Poe

Chris Richards

Reverend English Chap

The Hassans

Novel Wire Gymnastics

Ruby Raymond, Bobby Heath

In the Grand Old Burlesque

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Reverend Violinist

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Last week here of

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"A Wayward Camel"

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Every Night at 9-10-11-12-13-14-15-16-17-18-19-20-21-22-23-24-25-26-27-28-29-30-31-32-33-34-35-36-37-38-39-40-41-42-43-44-45-46-47-48-49-50-51-52-53-54-55-56-57-58-59-60-61-62-63-64-65-66-67-68-69-70-71-72-73-74-75-76-77-78-79-80-81-82-83-84-85-86-87-88-89-90-91-92-93-94-95-96-97-98-99-100-101-102-103-104-105-106-107-108-109-110-111-112-113-114-115-116-117-118-119-120-121-122-123-124-125-126-127-128-129-130-131-132-133-134-135-136-137-138-139-140-141-142-143-144-145-146-147-148-149-150-151-152-153-154-155-156-157-158-159-160-161-162-163-164-165-166-167-168-169-170-171-172-173-174-175-176-177-178-179-180-181-182-183-184-185-186-187-188-189-190-191-192-193-194-195-196-197-198-199-200-201-202-203-204-205-206-207-208-209-210-211-212-213-214-215-216-217-218-219-220-221-222-223-224-225-226-227-228-229-230-231-232-233-234-235-236-237-238-239-240-241-242-243-244-245-246-247-248-249-250-251-252-253-254-255-256-257-258-259-260-261-262-263-264-265-266-267-268-269-270-271-272-273-274-275-276-277-278-279-2

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LOS ANGELES TRUST
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Greeks Win Sea Fight.

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powerful as was a flat refusal as was foreshadowed from Constantinople. Yesterday's dispatches reported that the Turkish government had reached a decision not to cede Adrianople to the Greeks. It was willing to enter into negotiations respecting these islands some distance removed from the Dardanelles. If Turkey's answer is unsatisfactory, the allies, in deference to Europe, will ask the powers whether they have means to compel Turkey to comply with their wishes. If not, the allies will carry out the plan already announced for resumption of the war.

In such event the allies would not recognize the undertaking consenting to an autonomous Albania or the promise of Serbia and Montenegro to return to the Adriatic. Questions as to the possibility in this case of Austria employing force, the head of one of the delegations said today: "We shall see whether the triple entente, and especially Russia, will permit such action on the part of Austria."

If we are forced to fight another war, the allies will not abandon territories already occupied unless driven by force. That would mean a European war. "If Austria were permitted to march on Belgrade and to bombard our troops on the Adriatic, and we were crushed, we should prefer to become Austrian rather than belong to the Slav race when our mother Russia lacks the force or will to protect us."

NEGRO MAID STEALS DRESS.

Wears Garment Owned by Guest of Her Mistress and Makes Hit at Colored Ball.

(BY FEDERAL (WIRELESS) LINE TO THE TIMES.)

RIDGELEY (Md.) Jan. 19.—(Special Dispatch.) Mary Banton, colored, a trusted employee in the home of Charles L. Herzog, ball player, went shopping in Mrs. Herzog's private room and got a \$75 evening dress, the property of Miss Emma Causey of Washington, who is being entertained at the Herzog bungalow. The costume was not missed until this morning, when another colored girl told Herzog that she saw Mary Banton all decked out in the pretty dress at a negro ball Thursday night.

Mary is a small mulatto girl. She was dressed to kill on the occasion and the colored beaux went wild over the pretty dress of the dusky maid. The said she had just bought the dress from a department store. Mary Banton was arrested and committed to jail, where she acknowledged her guilt.

MAN OUTTALKS WIFE.

Woman Announces Defeat and Deceits Husband, Giving Him Chance for a Divorce.

(BY FEDERAL (WIRELESS) LINE TO THE TIMES.)

CHICAGO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Jan. 19.—(Special Dispatch.) The almost unheard of instance of a man outtalking his wife was cited yesterday in connection with the divorce brought by John E. Fisher against his wife, whom he alleged deserted him in November, 1905. The woman admitted her defeat.

"We argued about everything, from the temperature to the distance across the Atlantic Ocean," Mrs. Fisher told Judge Deaver and we never agreed on any subject. Finally, I couldn't stand any longer."

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 So he set about with a purpose single
 To write a first prize winning jingle.
 I do not know just what he wrote,
 But I've heard this explanation.
 He sent for the Maier Tonic Book
 To get an inspiration,
 And then he sharpened up his wits
 With Select T-O-N-I-C.
 And he wrote a clever jingle.
 'Twas easy as can be.

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 Is no one else but YOU,
 So sharpen up YOUR wits and see what you can do.

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**WOULD EXTEND
FOREST AREA.****Taft Advised to Look Into
Past Land Grants.****Southern Pacific Greatest In-
dividual Owner.****Government Urged to Retain
All Timber Land.**

(BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)

WASHINGTON, Jan. 19.—President Taft has been advised by a powerful committee of the United States forest lands of the importance of the problem of the conservation of the nation's timber resources. The committee, headed by Senator Charles McNary, of Oregon, and composed of representatives of the lumber industry, the conservation movement, and the general public, has been studying the problem for some time. It has concluded that the government should retain all timber land, and that the forest area should be extended to include all lands which are capable of producing timber.

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**WILSON SILENT
ON LEGISLATION.****Refuses to Commit Himself
on Reorganization.****Senate Hopes to Solve Taft
Appointment Tangle.****"Money Trust" Investigation
to End This Week.**

(BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)

WASHINGTON, Jan. 19.—President Wilson's refusal to allow himself to be committed to any definite plans of reorganization or to outline publicly through Senators and Congressmen the details of his legislative program, has had a marked influence on Congressional activity in the last few weeks. Plans that promised to engross the session in political fights at both ends of the Capitol are now held in abeyance while the more routine work of legislation, investigation and tariff bill hearings.

Democratic leaders of each House have made pilgrimages to New Jersey since Christmas to talk over the new administration's work with the incoming President. The general result of these conferences, however, has been to hold up for the time being any concerted reorganization scheme in the Senate and House and to restrain the Democratic forces from launching several important political and legislative programs.

GOV. WILSON CAUTIOUS.

To the majority of those who have visited him, Gov. Wilson has given little indication of his plans for legislation. The few to whom he has confided definite opinions have been unable to use the President-elect's influence to aid their own plans or to support any general legislative program.

The reorganization fight in the Senate, which promised sensational developments in December has shown little activity in the last two weeks. The efforts of Democratic leaders now are directed toward bringing about an outcome that will leave no dissatisfied faction.

At the same time insure the so-called progressive Democratic forces a full voice in the future administration of the Senate.

ROUTINE LEGISLATION.

Routine legislation is expected to occupy the attention of the Senate and House the coming week. Further efforts to solve the tangle in the Senate over President Taft's 110th appointments will be made, the hope being that they can be arranged whereby a part of the Taft appointments can be allowed to go unconfirmed, leaving the places to be filled by President Wilson.

The tariff hearings, preliminary to the making of the Democratic revision bill, will be resumed in the House and Ways and Means Committee of the House, with the agricultural schedule open for consideration. The money trust investigation, to be resumed Wednesday, probably will be concluded by the end of the week. Further important developments are expected before the end of the week.

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FEAR PILOT CUTTER LOST.

British and American Warships
Search Seas for Missing Vessel From
Bermudas.

(BY FEDERAL (WIRELESS) LINE TO THE TIMES.)

WASHINGTON BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Jan. 19.—[Special Dispatch.] British and American warships are scouring the West Indian seas for the British pilot cutter No. 1, which has been missing from Bermuda since January 14. It is feared that she is fouled with all hands during a gale.

SCOLDING, COMETS SUICIDE.

Girl Takes Her Own Life Because
Mother Reproved Her for Refusing
to Tend Bar in Saloon.

(BY FEDERAL (WIRELESS) LINE TO THE TIMES.)

PASSAIC (N. J.) Jan. 19.—[Special Dispatch.] Because her mother scolded her for refusing to wait on customers in her father's saloon, Anna Emma, the pretty 19-year-old daughter of Michael Kest, attempted suicide by drinking carbolic acid. She was revived after some time.

BALLOON HANGS ON HOUSE.

Dirigible Forced to Land Near
Potomac Because of Wind and
Mechanic Is Badly Injured.

(BY CABLE AND A. P. TO THE TIMES.)

BERLIN, Jan. 19.—The dirigible balloon Schuster, which was forced to land near Potsdam yesterday because of the failure of the elevating rudders, was seized by a cross wind and carried upon a house where it hung for half an hour. The balloon otherwise badly rent and the mechanic jumped out from an altitude of sixty feet, breaking his arms and legs. He is being treated in a hospital. A three-hour trip in a high wind.

PAID UP.

**GIRL TELLS HOW
TO BE A VENUS.**

PRETTY STENOGRAPHER SAYS
IT'S AN EASY STUNT.

Just Have the Figure to Start
With, She Says; Take Care of It
and of Your Diet Also, and Any
Working Woman Can Enter De-
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BY MARGARET W. DE PEYSTER.
(BY FEDERAL (WIRELESS) LINE TO THE TIMES.)

NEW YORK BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Jan. 19.—[Special Dispatch.] Is the working girl to be debarred from the Venus contest now in progress and which already has reached from Buffalo to London?

"I trust not," declares Miss Dorothy L. Smith, who carries her living in one of the big office buildings not far from City Hall, New York City, by operating a typewriter and who measures up pretty well to the Venus specifications, as witness these figures:

Venus in Business.
5 ft. 5 in. Height 143½ pounds.
5 ft. 5 in. Bust 34½ inches.
28 inches Waist 27 inches.
38 inches Hips 34½ inches.

She is pretty, too, albeit her face is more of the Celtic than of the Venus type. She has big brown eyes under arching brows, a mouth that smiles often and delightfully and a plump nose.

BOTH USEFUL AND ORNAMENTAL.

Why shouldn't business girls be represented in this Venus competition? she laughed today. "Of course I am sure the original Venus was not a stenographer, because she has no hands. But I believe that the 1913 ideal girl may be both useful and ornamental."

A girl who has been compared to Venus, but such a girl undoubtedly owes her good form, at least in a measure to athletics and gymnasium work. The London Venus is frankly a model, a girl who uses her figure to earn a living.

"But I believe any girl who works for a living knows how to take care of herself and has a half way decent figure to start with. She has to compete in the Venus class. That is, she need not be a professional expert in the development of her figure."

"How to do it?"

"Sleep eight hours and don't go out after two or three evenings a week. Walk all you can and indulge in any moderate athletic activity which you enjoy. Don't buy candy or let anybody buy it for you. When you sit down always select a stiff-backed chair and when you stand hold your weight evenly between both feet."

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When you have so far lost control of your nerves as to be "fly to pieces" over the least trifling excitement, it is high time to give your nervous system and to build up your blood. The drawn look, the sunken eyes, the deepening lines about the mouth and forehead, the loss in weight, are plain signs that the nerves and body are being poorly nourished.

Don't put off taking Dr. Williams' Pink Pills any longer. You may be near a collapse than you think.

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"I think that even so many business girls and women too make the mistake of not taking enough air," explained Miss Smith. "They are in an office all day, and when they go home they just sit still in the house. Perhaps they don't even go out on Sunday, or if they do manage to take a walk that day it is a slow little stroll of a few blocks."

"Personally, I make it a practice of never taking a street car or the subway when I can possibly walk. Every day when I go out to luncheon I take as long a walk as my time allows before returning to the office."

"Do you go in for any special calisthenics daily?" I asked.

"I don't find it necessary," responded the stenographic Venus. "Just walking about a good bit and sitting and standing properly are the 'motions' I advise."

DON'T KNOW HOW TO STAND.

"Ever so many girls stand with the weight upon one foot than on the other. That is found to throw first the hips and then the whole body out of shape. Also, I have found that sitting erect in a straight-backed chair with the spine perpendicular and the shoulders well back tends to lengthen the waist and decrease the size of the hips. A long waist is essential to grace and small hips are absolutely necessary for the fashions of the day."

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THREAT TO RAISE TAXES BRINGS HOST TO CAPITAL.

Corporation Attorneys and Banking Experts Arrive
in Shoals in Sacramento to Attend First Hearing on
Revenue Bill and to Protest Against Proposed Twenty
to Forty Per Cent. Increase.

BY LOU GUERNSEY.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 19.—[Exclu-
sive Dispatch.] The first hearing
on the revenue bill will be held by
the Senate and Assembly Committees
sitting jointly tomorrow. The hear-
ing schedule provides for the begin-
ning of the corporations arguments
in the afternoon and the railroad
companies and their conclusion. The
representatives of the insur-
ance companies and the banks.

Corporation attorneys and banking
experts have arrived in shoals since
early last week when notice of the
hearings was sent out. Many of them
are pleading for an extension of time
and declare that the time allotted to
them is insufficient to disprove the
comparative figures prepared by the
Board of Equalization. Chairman
Thompson of the Senate Committee
and other members of the Taxation
and Revenue Committee have been
deluged with requests to have the
hearings postponed until the second
half of the bifurcated session. This
request cannot be complied with, be-
cause something must be done before
March 1, when the tax levy is fixed.

Senator Gates declared today that he
has received over fifty telegrams from
corporations, bankers and really de-
alers of Los Angeles, all seeking to
have the hearings postponed. Gates
noted that such action is impos-
sible.

ONE DAY TO EACH CLASS.

The committee proposes to give one
day to each class of corporations in
the segregated list. They hope to
wind up the hearing on Friday night,
the bill in Monday or Tuesday of
the following week, pass it before the
end of that week.

The tentative plan involves read-
justment of all the rates except those
on franchises and express companies.
The gas and electric companies stand
to be hit the hardest in any adjust-
ment scheme based on an acceptance
of the comparative figures prepared
by the Board of Equalization. Those
of the banks and the gas and elec-
tric companies, which include the
power companies.

It is almost a certainty that the re-
adjustment will be made on the Board
of Equalization's figures and that it
will be made in short order. In my
opinion the corporations will be
called upon to pay a rate from 25 to
40 per cent. higher than was collect-
ed last year. The corporation attor-
neys and agents here declare they will
fight the proposed increase in tax
rates to the bitter end. They are prac-
tically agreed that a slight raise in
rates would be reasonable and fair,
but they grow black in the face when
the legislators talk of a 40 per cent.
raise. The taxation and revenue
hearings promise lively tilt and much
excitement.

Assemblyman Gulbranson of Corcoran,
Kings county, believes his bill in-

duced early in the session provid-
ing for direct loans to farmers and
fruit men will solve the problem
which has brought to Sacramento a
delegation of Southern California
bankers and citrus growers to dis-
cuss with legislators proposed State
relief for the fruit growers who suf-
fered by the freeze.

In the bill which Gulbranson has of-
fered provision is made for the for-
mation of a group or groups of farm-
ers who shall borrow money directly
from the State, giving proper security,
but without having to deal with the
banks as middlemen.

Gulbranson says he will make every
effort to rush his bill through to final
passage and he feels confident that it
will relieve the alleged financial
stringency in the citrus belt.

Many of the southern representa-
tives and bankers believe that the
banks in the citrus regions can cope
with the situation without State aid.
That does not mean that State aid
would not be given if the necessity
were shown and a method for its ex-
tension could be devised.

JOHNSON TO INVESTIGATE.

Gov. Johnson will name a commit-
tee tomorrow to prepare an opinion
as to whether the scheme to loan
State funds to the banks could be
carried out legally. Senator Cogswell
of El Monte will probably head
the committee.

Building Inspector Backus of Los
Angeles is here to provide for the for-
mation of a State architectural com-
mission. The plan has the support
of leading architects of the State. The
bill, which is to be presented by one
of the Los Angeles school men, will
provide for the appointment of a com-
mission of three members to have
charge of all architectural work of the
State. The members are not to re-
ceive compensation for their work, ex-
cept expenses while actually en-
gaged. The commissioners will in-
turn name a State architect. It is
the plan of the architect to have
advocating the passage of such a bill
to elevate the style of architecture of
State buildings.

Backus also has a number of
amendments to the Burnett tenement
house bill tucked away in his vest
pocket. Architects and apartment-
house owners have picked many flaws
in the present law and seek to have
them eliminated by the amendment
route.

FARMERS' LIABILITY.

Solution of the employers' liability
problem for farmers will be sought
by Senator Larkins of Tulare in a
bill to establish a sinking fund for
which all farmers will be taxed one-
tenth of 1 per cent.

It is almost a certainty that some
attempt will be made at this session
to amend the constitutional amend-
ment which changed the manner of
holding the legislative sessions. Nine
out of ten legislators are heartily in
favor of returning to the old method
and doing away with the bifurcated
session.

Health.

AM TO PROTECT MILK SUPPLY.

INSPECTION LEFT TO CITIES IN
NEW DAIRY BILL.

Those Who Handle Cows Are to
Wash Hands and Wear Clean
Clothes—Suspected Tubercular
Animals Must Be Segregated Be-
fore Test Is Applied.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

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designed to protect the public health
by insuring the purity of the milk
supplied to the cities of the

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NEWS REPORTS FROM CORRESPONDENTS OF THE TIMES

Two Men Found Dead in Their Bedrooms.

...ers in California you have won-
ful prospects ahead of you. I
have been coming here winters for
years and I know a good deal
about the place. I do not believe you
have really begun to realize what pos-
sibilities there are here. I have no-
ted, too, that whenever a depositor
of the bank of which I am president
wants out money to make a California
investment all of his account comes
sooner or later."

Rehearsals for the "Campus
House," which will be presented at

Scott is not expected to live, but Ammon has chances for recovery, say the surgeons at the Seaside Hospital, where the men were taken after the shooting. The first .38-caliber revolver bullet struck Ammon in the neck and ranged upward through the head and came out under the right eye. The other bullet entered Scott's right temple and is lodged in his head.

The mother, who is in a sanatorium here, has not been notified of the shooting, as she is in a weakened condition through illness. The family is said to be well-to-do and well-known in its home city.

employment of two useless people in the State Mining Bureau, we have had more or less difficulty with the State Board of Control, but this matter has been fully covered in the official report of the Board of Trustees of the State Mining Bureau."

Police Judge Weller is still fighting over his official life. The women of the town are struggling to have him end it. It is a pretty contest, with the betting odds in favor of the women.

McCollum Russell, formerly of Co. f, Seventh Iowa Cavalry, a native of Iowa, admitted from Independence, Mo., in 1912, died January 12, aged 60 years.

George W. Elliott, formerly of Co.

perjury. The girl was taken to the Detention Home.

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UP AND DOWN BROADWAY.

By "ZIP."

THIS is a story about temperament. New York's old friend, Webster, tells us that temperament means "internal state" or "disposition." The temperament of many of our famous prima donnas has furnished excellent and amusing copy on more than one occasion for the newspapers, and this time the temperamental troubles of one of our best actors, Harry Mestayer, are to furnish more copy.

And let it be said that Mr. Mestayer, while being a real actor in every sense of the word, has "some temperamental."

During the Margaret Illington engagement last year, when Harry was summoned to Miss Illington's Julietting, he suffered a very acute attack of this amusing and otherwise horrible disease, for it is a disease which he and Mr. Morosco parted company.

He later told him that while he liked him as an actor, he couldn't stand for the over-acting and that furthermore he was eliminated from future engagements at the Burbank.

Whereupon Mestayer went East and appeared successfully in several very "successful failures," one in which he did a song and dance. With three long rehearsal periods and three very short salary periods, Harry immediately called on Mr. Morosco, who was then in Chicago.

"How about a part in the Chicago production of 'The Fox'?" governor asked Harry.

"Didn't I tell you in Los Angeles that you couldn't work for me again?" replied Mr. Morosco.

"But your pardon," replied Harry, "you simply said that I could not work at the Burbank."

Mr. Morosco finally closed "The Fox," Mr. Morosco no longer returned to Los Angeles than he returned a wife from Mestayer, saying, "Can I come to Los Angeles?"

"Nothing doing here. You're eliminated as far as Los Angeles is concerned," replied the manager.

Wrong again, shot back Mestayer, "I am only eliminated at the Burbank and I want a job at the Burbank."

He got it.

After coming to the Burbank, Morosco required Mestayer's services on several occasions at the Burbank, but steadfastly refused to allow him to appear on the Burbank stage.

While in New York, however, Mr. Morosco received a wire from Charles Kysen to the effect that David Hartford had been taken ill and that Mestayer was playing his part.

"Everything went well until the second run of 'The Romance of the Underworld' at the Burbank, when Mestayer's clock went back on him and he showed up at a matinee performance just thirty minutes too late.

Anticipating "something doing," and that he would probably be "nosed," Mr. Mestayer came down by the first train and resigned, whereupon he received a reply from Mr. Morosco saying that he could never play for him in Los Angeles, at least for a long time.

Yesterday Mestayer strolled into the Morosco office and applied for his part of Larry in the Chicago production of "The Escape," which will soon be made under Morosco's management.

"You know what I told you," replied Mr. Morosco.

"I sure do," answered Harry. "I am asking for a position in Chicago."

Of course you all know the answer. Mr. Mestayer will play his original part of Larry Joyce in the production of "The Escape" in the Windy City and Mr. Morosco will have the strong presence of the lake will blow away some of the Mestayer temperamental.

Sweet Glendinning, well known to many players by reason of his former "Belasco" appearances, has been engaged for the new production which the Shuberts will shortly offer at the New York Winter Garden.

Glendinning has been engaged to play the role of the lover of the much-talked-about Gaby Deslys.

Excellent. He should play it well. And more than that, Ernest will have as a rival in the performance our old friend, Al Johnson.

Mr. Johnson playing the humble waiter will get just ten times as much salary as Glendinning does for appearing the gentleman. But Al doesn't worry and get a wrinkle, I don't think.

Now if he were Harry Mestayer, art and temperament would not permit him playing a mere "waiter."

The Divine Sarah Bernhardt is seen on her way to the Pacific Coast via the Vanderbilt route, and will shortly be seen at the Orpheum Theater.

Manager Deane Worley is off again to San Diego, where he had recently been creating much of his time to the Sullivan and Considine Empire Theater interests.

Mr. Worley, by the way, brings back the news that "Pop" Fisher has quit the show business and is now proprietor of The Golden Lion Tavern.

"Pop" assures him that in the tavern business there is a steady line of "business" in front of the little place all day and most of the evening, which he enjoys watching much more than a window seat in front of the box-office for only a few hours every night.

Mr. Goodwin yesterday wired Oliver Morosco, offering his services for the benefit performance for Alamo the little Burbank telephone girl, which is to take place at the Main-street house January 23.

At the benefit Mr. Goodwin will be seen in Paul Armstrong's sketch, "A Glass of Glory," in which he has already won success.

shortly be produced in New York by "Felix" Harlowe, the well-known author, who has now turned producer.

J. C. Wilkinson, the second press representative of "Buntly Pulls the Strings," which will be seen at the Majestic Theater next week, arrived in Los Angeles last night.

All of which reminds me to call to the attention of a few dramatic editors that "When" was dropped from the title of the Scotch comedy long ago.

John W. Considine is now preparing to take over an entire circuit of vaudeville houses in the South and compute this wing of his long chain of Empire theaters, now extending throughout America. Mr. Considine will soon have to look to foreign soil for fields to conquer in the "pop" vaudeville game.

Daniel Frohman, long considered as the master artist of American managers, is the head of a company that is luring the stars away from the footlights in favor of the films.

J. Hartley Manners yesterday advised Mr. Morosco that he will put "The O' My Heart" into novel form and expects to have the edition of the book stores within the next six weeks.

Manners now has under way a new play for Laurette Taylor, which will be called "Peg's Father," and, although Taylor may not appear in it in New York for at least three years, she will be seen in it on one of the local Morosco stages this summer.

Will M. Hough of Adams & Hough, authors of "The Girl Question," "A Rubbery Chaperone," "The Girl at the Gate" and other Chicago musical comedies, has entered into negotiations with Mr. Morosco with the idea of having this manager make the local Majestic a producing house for new musical comedies during the summer months.

Hough is anxious to have two of his new musical plays produced here next summer, and with this idea in view will leave Chicago tomorrow for Los Angeles.

Frank Baum and Louis Gottschalk's new musical spectacle, "The Tik-Tok Man of Oz," will be the first musical play to be given its premier at the Majestic Theater. This is scheduled for the last week in March.

Mr. Baum is the author of the now famous "Wizard of Oz," which is still a consistent money-maker. And while recalling Mr. Baum's success it might be well to mention that Mr. Gottschalk has several very worthy things to his credit.

Gottschalk bears the distinction of being the one man in America who has Victor Herbert will allow to direct a premier when he himself cannot be present. While he is also the musical director responsible for a good bit of the luring music of "The Gypsy Love" and the success of "The Merry Widow" and "The Spring Maid," which he directed on their first production in America.

CHRISTY MATHESON IN "MOVIES" SUIT.

The echoes of a long-forgotten local theatrical fight were awakened on Broadway (New York) last week when Christy Matheson applied for a warrant for the arrest of the proprietor of the New York Motion Picture Company, Christy Matheson.

Matheson is not acting in his own behalf, but lending his name to a moving picture company that purchased exclusive moving picture rights in the world's series, and can not enforce them. When the pictures of the game show here at Pantages last fall the company which is now hiding behind Matheson spent a good many hundred dollars trying to make the public believe they were false.

Checkmates.

NATIONAL CHESS TOURNEY BEGUN.

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Fourteen Champions of America and Europe Commence Contest in New York—Supremacy of Continent in Royal Game Is Involved.

French and Cuban Competitors.

BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE TO THE TIMES.

NEW YORK, Jan. 19.—The opening round of the second American national chess masters' tournament began at the Manhattan Chess Club today with fourteen players entered.

Only twelve men were at the boards today. David Janowski, French champion, and Frank J. Marshall, United States champion, having postponed their match until tomorrow. The other contestants are: Jose R. Capablanca of Havana, Oscar Kohn of Chicago; L. B. Zapolon, Washington; H. Liebenstein, Baltimore; Norman T. Whitaker, Philadelphia; Harry Kline, Boston; J. S. Morrison, Toronto; J. Stapper, New Jersey champion, and Charles Jaffe, A. Kupchik, I. Tennuerel and S. Rubin, New York.

Capablanca, Kupchik and Stapper, each won his game, respectively, from Liebenstein, Zapolon and Rubin.

The contests between Morrison and Charles Tennuerel and Jaffe, and Whitaker and Kline all were drawn.

WALT MCCREDIE GETS HI WEST.

Hi West, the former Cleveland pitcher, has been released to the Portland club. McCredie believes that the addition of West, who is a big right-hander, will give him one of the strongest pitching staffs that he ever had.

BIG BASKETBALL GAME.

ONTARIO, Jan. 18.—(Special Correspondence.) Chaffey Union High Saturday afternoon defeated San Bernardino High in one of the most sensational basketball games ever staged here. The final score was 24 to 22, the victory coming in the last minute of play.

This victory gives Ontario an excellent chance for a third successive Citrus Belt League championship.



Molly McIntyre, the Famous "Buntly."

Who will soon be seen in her original role in the quaint and delightful comedy, "Buntly Pulls the Strings," which will be seen at the Majestic next week.

CANADIAN POLOISTS WERE TOO FAST FOR PASADENA.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

ORONADO, Jan. 19.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] In spite of much clever work, the Pasadena poloists were unable today to keep the pace of the Canadians and the undefeated Calgary team.

The game was a close one, the Canadians leading by a score of 14 to 10, giving them three consecutive victories in the tournaments at the Coronado Country Club.

Pasadena gained the lead only once. That was in the third period. But the Canadians rode out their fastest ponies for the following chukker and closed the half with a margin of 33 to 14.

The Calgary team had not played for two weeks and the showing Pasadena had made during the interval brought them into favor and, in fact, they seemed to have better team work in the early periods.

CANADA SCORES.

Canada was first to score, however, Critchley getting one through after a minute and a half of play. He was forced to a safety a few minutes later, and the Canadians rode out their fastest ponies for the following chukker and closed the half with a margin of 33 to 14.

THE THIRD CHUKKER—WHAT!

The third chukker was all Pasadena's and their supporters believed the game had taken the turn. They caught a knock-in by Canada and kept the ball until Harry Wells got it through the posts. Carleton Burdick, on his fastest mount, next broke out of the scrimmage for a pretty race to his goal, but drove the ball against one of the posts. In the subsequent chukker, the Canadians, from driving the sphere out of danger, Critchley was drawn into foul and Reggie Wells succeeded in scoring.

For the next round, Carle appeared mounted on Jim Crack and Robertson on May Dien Donna, both track runners and the latter one of the fastest along the Coast today. As a result, the two, assisted by Snowden, also on a fast pony, Bing, were able to carry the ball great distances in the lead of the field and each registered a goal for the period.

PASADENA OUTRIDDEN.

These three goals, while Pasadena was completely outridden and out of the scoring, placed Canada in the lead, which was maintained easily throughout the remainder of the contest.

The Crown City four were unable to score in the fifth and sixth, while Canada counted three more. In the seventh Harry Wells scored after only forty seconds of play and Canada was unable to score, although they held Pasadena from another.

The final period found Canada on another rampage, which resulted in three goals in quick succession and then Reggie Wells injected the prettiest piece of polo of the day. Edmund the Canadian rider, he carried the ball over half the field and sent it nearly 100 yards to the goal.

Thomas Le Boutillier, Jr., of the Meadowbrook Club, refereed the game.

The score: Pasadena—Goals, H. Wells 2, R. Wells 2; penalty, R. Wells 1. Canada—Goals, R. Carle 3, Snowden 4, Robertson 3, Critchley 1; penalty, Carle 1.

BOWLING NOTES.

In Friday night's play of the International Bowling League the Tuxedo beat the Hoover-Bennett fifty-seven points on the Majestic alleys, the totals being 2618 to 2601. Flahar made high game with 311, and also high average of 309.

The game scores follow:

TUXEDO.

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HOOPER-BENNETT.

Darby 261, 259, 257, 255, 253, 251, 249, 247, 245, 243, 241, 239, 237, 235, 233, 231, 229, 227, 225, 223, 221, 219, 217, 215, 213, 211, 209, 207, 205, 203, 201, 199, 197, 195, 193, 191, 189, 187, 185, 183, 181, 179, 177, 175, 173, 171, 169, 167, 165, 163, 161, 159, 157, 155, 153, 151, 149, 147, 145, 143, 141, 139, 137, 135, 133, 131, 129, 127, 125, 123, 121, 119, 117, 115, 113, 111, 109, 107, 105, 103, 101, 99, 97, 95, 93, 91, 89, 87, 85, 83, 81, 79, 77, 75, 73, 71, 69, 67, 65, 63, 61, 59, 57, 55, 53, 51, 49, 47, 45, 43, 41, 39, 37, 35, 33, 31, 29, 27, 25, 23, 21, 19, 17, 15, 13, 11, 9, 7, 5, 3, 1.

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OF A PRECEDENT.

A young army officer was absent without leave in order to be married. The authorities should not worry. His wife will see to it that it does not happen again.

A GREAT DANGER.

The Carnegie Observatory on Mt. Wilson, is to have the largest telescope in the world. We are much afraid that the learned scientists up there will one day locate Los Angeles and never be able to look at anything else again.

CAN AFFORD IT.

A deceased millionaire left the church a large sum of money on condition that it should not receive any donations from a rival in the oil business. It is pleasant to see rich men at war as to who shall be the most liberal in donations. Even a dead man is entitled to a whim if he is willing to pay a fortune for it.

DESERVES A CROWN.

A New Jersey preacher who celebrated his seventeenth birthday by inflicting three long sermons on a patient congregation says that since he entered the ministry he has preached 5503 sermons. The good man's voice has doubtless lulled to slumber many tired bodies as it has awakened conscience consciences. "God bless the man who first invented sleep."

AN OPEN FIELD.

Every time we hear Sousa's "Stars and Stripes Forever" we are reminded that the really great American air is yet to be written. Nothing in American music quite grips the heart as irresistibly as it should. These United States are entitled to some musical anthem which will set the heart aflame. Sousa's piece has the stir in it but lacks something in feeling.

THE GOOD WORKMAN.

The man who is in earnest about life treats his possessions and even the attributes of personality as a carpenter who receives shingles to roof a house, or as a mason receiving mortar and brick to lift the walls. Nothing comes to the good workman because it is himself; all comes on account of the fact that he is in a position to employ material in the world's building.

MAKING IT CLEAR.

It is sometimes a little difficult for a man to appreciate either the length or brevity of a lifetime, much less to get any conception of eternity. We think the point is very well illustrated by the dark preacher who said that if a wren undertook to empty the Atlantic Ocean into the Pacific Ocean by carrying a drop of water at a time across the continent when he completed the task it would still be morning in hell.

GREENABLE.

An Imperial Valley ranchman has been experimenting with a tepary bean and finds that it can be grown with profit on a dry-farming basis. We are perfectly willing that beans of every variety should be grown in California in any quantity, since they do not have to be consumed at home. The best claim for the California bean is abroad lots at big prices, and there is nothing like obliging our neighbors. It is always pleasant to do good to others when one is handsomely paid for it.

FALSE IMPRISONMENT.

A kangaroo has arrived at the local office of the Wells-Fargo Company, which is without a home and which is entitled to the relief of the law. It has been shipped East and back again and nobody has called for it at either end of the line. This is a cold and cruel world in which to be buffeted about at the will of the officials of a heartless corporation. A kangaroo of fine sensibilities naturally resents such treatment. We would suggest that it have itself sent by parcel post and see if it cannot get better results.

THE THREE-PINE DRESS.

In Paris women have reduced their clothing to a union suit and an overcoat made in one piece. In New York and Chicago the fashion has been carried to a three-piece suit. On both continents fashion is said to have ordered the hobble skirt. We are reminded of the story of the raven. Everyone knows what a graceless and gawky walk the crow has. The tradition is that he once walked as gracefully as any other bird until one day he saw a gazelle grazing and tried to imitate its dainty and mincing steps. Ever since then the crow has been unable either to hop or to run.

FAMILY TROUBLES.

Bessie McCoy married Richard Harding Davis, although she knew he was addicted to novel writing when she did it. We consider that she must have had abundant warning and that she is not entitled to public sympathy, even if her husband should go to the extreme in writing a serial for a popular monthly. The alarming state which the domestic affairs of Mr. and Mrs. Davis have reached, however, is made public in Bessie's announcement that she will go on the stage again whether her husband likes it or not. When her husband uses the use of her pay checks after this clever advertising his objections will probably be withdrawn.

THE PROPOSED BONDS.

Eight proposed municipal bond issues, aggregating \$17,400,000—how can a taxpayer vote for any of them with good grace—how can one recommend that others vote for any of them while facing the misrule, incompetency and wastefulness of the present city administration?

The necessities of the case, however, require that certain of these bonds be carried, while others should be rejected. Let us examine the proposed issues, one by one.

(1)—\$1,500,000 for the construction of a trunk line for the Aqueduct water through Franklin Canyon to the city.

This big pipe is a necessity and the bond issue should be voted. Without this trunk line the city can get no benefit from the Aqueduct—might as well have none.

(2)—\$2,500,000 for the beginning of work on the Pasadena-Glendale-San Dimas "high line" for the Aqueduct, or the "Graham Plan."

This proposition is indefensible and should be defeated, as The Times has successfully demonstrated. It proposes that Pasadena, Glendale, Azusa, etc., shall be supplied with water by means of a giant pipe line constructed at the expense of the taxpayers of Los Angeles. It these communities, east of the city desire a part of the surplus water of the Aqueduct let them follow the course suggested by Engineer Mulholland—organize a canal district, issue bonds and build their own distributing system, not asking Los Angeles to build it for them, as the Graham plan proposes. There is no objection to these communities having water after Los Angeles and contiguous territory likely to be annexed to Los Angeles have been assured of ample supplies; but Los Angeles taxpayers should not be asked to bond themselves to build a distributing system for these outside towns. The \$2,500,000 asked for is only a starter. The "high line" would cost \$2,000,000 at least ere it was completed.

(3)—\$2,000,000 for the distributing system of the Aqueduct and necessary reservoir in the San Fernando Valley.

This demands careful scrutiny and hesitation before a decision is formed. It may not be the time to spend this money now. It might be wise to delay action. "Go slow."

(4)—\$4,500,000 for the construction or equipment by purchase of an electric power distributing system for handling power generated by the Aqueduct.

It would be best to reject this proposition if the electric current can be sold at a fair price to the power companies. Why not use our distributing systems and save this \$4,500,000, while the city is assured a large income? It would be poor economy to duplicate the valuable systems of the electric companies; it would be an awful waste. They have made liberal offers for the current to the city, which reader it unnecessary for the municipality to take the risk of going into the business of retailing power and running into debt for millions.

(5)—\$1,000,000 for municipal railroad.

The city should not go into the railroad business to this extent at this time. It has too many irons in the fire.

(6)—\$1,000,000 for a new City Hall.

The city needs a new hall, but this money should not be voted for expenditure by the City Hall ring. Turn out the incompetents and then build a City Hall for their successors.

(7)—\$2,500,000 for the Los Angeles Harbor, \$750,000 of which is to be for use on the inner harbor.

Again, this issue should not be voted unless we can be assured that the money shall be spent by a more trustworthy administration.

(8)—\$400,000 for the State Normal School site.

This is a just payment and the bonds should be voted. The city and the citizens are obligated.

It gives one a chill to think that any of these large sums shall be passed over to an administration that has so shamefully mismanaged and misapplied the harbor funds. What are the citizens of Los Angeles going to do about that? When are we to have a change?

The Times is opposed, on principle, to the use of the recall; but there are indications that it will be invoked. The people are groaning under the burdens of increased taxation and harassing restrictions and misuse of the public moneys. There will be an uprising. It is bound to come soon.

HOME-MADE BREAD.

A correspondent writes to ask why the 5-cent loaf grows small by degrees and beautifully less, while the price of flour remains just where it was three or four years ago. The answer is not far to seek. It comes from the decadence in home-baking and the gradual extinction of good old-fashioned home-made bread. As soon as the individual begins to live on the expensive system of commercialized industries the cost of what was once a simple home product will increase accordingly.

The man who employs a valet to brush his clothes, to tie his four-in-hand or button his shirt collar will find that dressing becomes yearly a more perplexing financial problem, even though a suit at the tailor's costs no more than it did three years ago and two good collars can still be bought for a quarter. The housekeeper who hires help to sweep the rug, to dust the piano and wind the clock will find the home expense multiply like mushrooms after a fall rain, even though brooms and dusters remain stationary in price and eight-day clocks are common.

So those who, to save time, whether for other duties or for passing pleasures, pay experts to supply the experience and labor and fuel to convert their flour into bread and biscuit must lose in one way what they gain in another. As the competition from home-made bread grows less, so the professional baker becomes more indispensable and his services correspondingly more valuable.

Of course life goes easier for those who can afford to pay others for small domestic and homely services. As long as their own time is more valuable than that of the baker or the domestic help, lawyers and doctors and merchants and manufacturers won't complain if the 5-cent loaf grows smaller, as long as retaining fees

Diogenes Pujo: "I Must Find a Money Trust or Bust."



[From the New York Sun.]

and the value of real estate and contracts grow larger. If they get less bread they obtain more butter and jam.

In this world there is an unending law of compensation; there always has been—before Emerson wrote his famous essay. You can't enjoy automobiles and grand opera and country clubs, and the delicious bread that mother used to make. Those who wonder at the gradual shrinkage in the 5-cent loaf till it resembles only a new model 1913 biscuit should not envy the frugal poor who still enjoy generous portions of the nutritious home-made product. Nor should the rosy-cheeked family, living on mother's crisp biscuit and hot buttered waffles, envy the baker-fed owner of expensive touring cars and wonderful hats and gowns.

You can't enjoy home cooking if you're too prosperous to attend to it; nor can you blame the professional baker if he wishes to share in your prosperity. In any case you get what you are looking for in life—lots of fun and a microscopic 5-cent loaf or a small income and satisfying batches of home-made "white" or "Graham." As the old shaman used to say: "Yer pays yer money and yer takes yer choice."

The remedy then is simple. It is for more home-soldiers to go back to the good old-fashioned plan of baking their own bread instead of placing the family stomach at the mercy of alien bakers. We have a shrewd suspicion that many citizens in the pursuit of pleasure would rather live on a few small loaves and fishes than slouch hours from their recreations to spend over the kitchen oven.

We are very proud of all our sisters and wives and sweethearts; we love to see them excel as society entertainers, as drawing-room singers, as politicians and business managers, as dancers and tennis players and chauffeurs; but when you come right down to hard facts the sweet old-fashioned hausfrau is the one on whom a man wants to stake his future. You can't combine midnight supper parties at downtown cafes with all the comforts of a home. The 5-cent loaf will get you if you try to. One batch of dough mixed in the kitchen is worth a whole trayful of loaves at the baker's.

OUR CITRUS ORCHARDISTS.

California has no braver, brighter, more generous, energetic or loyal citizens than those engaged in the citrus industry. They are home builders and home owners. The man who plants an orange or lemon grove, and nurses and cares for it for five years before he can obtain a crop has staying qualities.

The recent freeze, while not so absolutely devastating as was at first supposed, yet inflicted a loss of millions upon the orchardists. It is the duty—which will be performed without reluctance—of those who have suffered no loss from the freeze, to help the citrus orchardists to tide over the year. The city banks, whose vaults are overflowing with capital, will undoubtedly advance money to the country banks to enable them to loan to the orchardists.

But loaning money to an orchardist at a reasonable rate of interest on unexceptionable security is not the only way to aid him. He is entitled to relief from the Assessors. In assessing a farm the land is valued at so much per acre. The improvements upon the land, whether houses, fences or fruit trees, are assessed separately. If a home assessed last year has been partially destroyed by fire, it will not until it shall be rebuilt be placed upon the assessment roll. If an orange tree has been affected by the freeze so that it will yield no fruit for one or maybe two seasons, why should it not be stricken from the assessment roll until it is again in bearing condition?

The orange growers are not mendicants.

The Times would incur their just displeasure if it attempted to beg in their behalf anything they have not a right to ask for themselves. It does not petition for charity. It asks only for simple justice and a "square deal."

And while on this subject, gentlemen of whatever politics, can you not let up on the people a little on your tax levies? Isaacar is a patient man, but his back is almost broken with the load he is carrying. Don't break him down altogether. You, Progressive statesmen at Sacramento, can you not for one session discontinue the creation of boards and committees, and commissions, and commissioners and other contrivances for taking money out of State treasuries and looking county treasurers to place it in the pockets of job hunters who make it their business to menace whoever Holy Hiram takes snuff?

The Lord after giving us a stiff dose of icicle weather that made some tourists wonder why they left Canada and came here to get warm, softened His heart and poured his warm rains upon the just and the unjust, upon The Times and its libelous Progressive contemporaries, upon the most exalted and the most contemptible of men. Can you not, O saviors, emulate His loving mercy and forget to clinch the people just once?

Misunderstood the Salesman.

[Philadelphia Record:] "They who condemn the new science of scientific management and efficiency engineering don't understand them; that's all." Thus spoke Jerome S. McVade, the well-known millionaire, in an address before the Duluth Y.M.C.A. With a smile he continued:

"They fall as egregiously to understand these splendid new sciences as the farmer failed to understand the incubator salesman. The salesman praised his incubator with fervid eloquence. He declared that there was nothing like it on the market. But to all his arguments the farmer, an old-fashioned folk, shook his head."

"But think, sir," cried the salesman, warmly, "think of the time an incubator saves."

"Shifting his quid from the right cheek to the left, the old farmer sneered: 'Aw,' he said, 'what do I care for a hen's time?'"

He Was More Than Cool.

[Ladies Home Journal:] "Tell me," said the lady to the old soldier, "were you cool in battle?"

"Cool," said the truthful veteran, "why, I fairly shivered."

UNCLE WALT.

The Poet Philosopher.

When you see a man is busy, doing sums or writing notes, don't go up and drive him daisy with your whiskered anecdotes; for the man who's bored and worried, when by business he is hurried, may tear up, incensed and flurried, and deprive you of your guests. When you see a man is brooding over troubles of his own, when you hear his grief protruding from his system in a groan, don't put up a line of wallings touching your own ills and aillings; don't indulge in roars and railings—let the weary man alone. When you see a man is cheerful, as he tries his way to make, don't go up with forecasts fearful that will make his bosom ache; do not say his course is folly in this world of melancholy; if he finds the old world folly, let him grin, for heaven's sake. If you see a man is married, do not boast that you are not; for the burden he has carried makes his spirit sore and hot; bearing much, he'll never bear less; if you stir up envy, careless, he may claw you till you're hairless, with a sudden fury fraught.

WALT MASON.

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LIBERTIES WITH NATURE.

Seeing the Canal Before It Is Watered.

"The greatest liberty man has ever taken with nature." This is the dictum of James Bryce concerning the Panama Canal.

And that is one of the strongest reasons which impel us to go and see it. I'd like to see for myself just how far the pigmy upstart man can go with the old giant earth.

He was the last passenger to climb aboard the planet. It had been in business, running its popular "no scene twice seen" elliptical trips around the sun for 50,000,000 years or so before man swung himself aboard from a mail chute. It never so much as slowed up—didn't even "hesitate" for him. But man came aboard as easily as a pilot awakes up a rope ladder. And he hadn't been aboard one generation before he began to suggest alterations and make changes. He was the nakedest and most helpless passenger that ever came over the side, and the first that ever "took liberties with nature."

Other animals accepted things as they found them and started in to adapt themselves to earth and life conditions thereon, with the reverence due to age, primogeniture and occupancy. If they were assigned to the swamps they developed web feet. If they were given quarters in the water they started fins, and if they were told off for aviation they grew wings. But not one of them, although some of them were bigger when they cracked the shell than a regiment of men when they died of old age, insisted that the system should adapt itself to them and their needs.

The Natural Boas.

But man kicked on all the arrangements at once and began to upset the government. When told to live in a tree he said it was too drafty. He found the caves damp and the cliff houses inaccessible. He chopped down the trees, the homes of birds and monkeys, to make houses for himself. He insulted the climate by building fires to make his house warm in the winter, and he cut in windows to make it cool in the summer. He dammed the free river and set it to work sawing wood for himself. He made the winds drive his ships and the lightning carry his messages. Whatever he saw he needed with and whatever he didn't like he changed. When he was tired of going around a mountain he tunneled through it.

When he was told that for ages the other animals had adapted themselves to conditions on the earth he snuffed and said:

"Yes, and it killed every one of them trying to do it." He said, "and I may like to shoot occasionally myself. I serve notice on the fauna of this antediluvian old stone ranch, right now, that every living thing on it has either got to work for me or amuse me. There's room on this reservation for only one useless thing, and that is weeds. I'm not going to let anything grow on this reservation but weeds. I'm not going to let anything grow on this reservation but weeds. I'm not going to let anything grow on this reservation but weeds."

Then, observing that some of the animals were still left on the earth, he set to work breaking them to harness. Those which refused to work for him he herded on immense game preserves.

"I will want something for the ex-President's day," he said, "and I may like to shoot occasionally myself. I serve notice on the fauna of this antediluvian old stone ranch, right now, that every living thing on it has either got to work for me or amuse me. There's room on this reservation for only one useless thing, and that is weeds. I'm not going to let anything grow on this reservation but weeds. I'm not going to let anything grow on this reservation but weeds."

And when the little, weakened, how-legged man yelled "Haw!" the big horse went meekly to the left. When he shouted "Gee, idiot!" the noble brute went around on the starboard tack, and when the insolent whifflet howled "Whoa, dumbbell!" the great beast halted.

Man insulted and bullied and bulldozed all creation. As to taking liberties with nature—well, say! He chalked up the globe, with parallels and meridians and made tracks across the sea as plain as a path in the snow. He never left anything just as he found it. He even derided his own kind and destroyed the works of his fathers because he said they were the useless experiments of a lot of leather-headed old back numbers who didn't know their left hands from the right.

A Guess Coming on Everything.

He used to look at the strata of rock in the mountains as a preacher looks at the teeth of a family horse, a gypsy in trying to sell him, and guess at its age. And he'd come about as near to it as the preacher would. The earth was simply appalled at his impertinences. Gold that it had hidden away down in the heart of inaccessible mountains for 50,000 years before the man came into the family he found as easily as a gift at a Christmas party got under the mistletoe which he didn't know was there. And oil—old that the earth had cached away where it would never be found in time or eternity—the man just looked up into the sky kind of innocent-like and said:

"I shouldn't wonder if you couldn't find oil right there, and make a pipe right straight down into a spouting 30,000-barrel well. Hide things from him? One night a billion miles for a thousand years or so. You'll never see me again."

And the man laughed and said: "To be, old Halley, come around in about seventy-five years."

And when it came around about on time the man said:

"I knowed where you was all the time," and nobody had the nerve to contradict him. There wasn't anything went on, day or night, that he didn't see and hear. And it was the joy of his inquisitive soul to find out anything that was hid away from him. He measured the sun and weighed the stars and mapped out their courses and kept their running time and even found out their names.

So when I heard that James Bryce said the Panama Canal was "the greatest liberty man had ever taken with nature" I said: "Here is something worth seeing." And I wanted to see it before they covered it over and filled it up with water.

It is so much easier to guess which cart has the melons in if you make your guess while the cart is being loaded and before the tarpaulin is put on. Many a statesman owes his success in public life to cultivating this habit, which enables him to change about six weeks before the administration does.

Arthur J. Burdett

Pen Points: By the

A word in season to a brother who wakes up.

Famous saying of wives of famous men: "Woodrow, put on your hat."

President-elect Wilson is the person of the hand that shook Col. Bryan's.

Heard on Broadway: "If I just had a little money I know where I could go and make a pile."

One of the features of dancing is the worst dancer always appears to be having the best time.

The cost of high living can be reduced if we manage to reduce the expense of celebrations of various kinds.

The cause of international peace seems to be getting on famously since the moment of Bailey from the Senate.

There will be but one Friday this year. It will come in June, and brides may as well be warned.

But we do not understand the United States Supreme Court ruling on the constitutionality of the new money.

It is now claimed that there was no Gardens of Eden. In that case we are certainly located in Southern California.

Battlefields are going up, and a pretty good one now costs about \$14,000. The high cost of living is a hard thing to get over.

A committee will run the Ball game party until the next campaign. It is hard to guess the identity of the committee.

We know men who are like the Boston bean, always on the go, but they never get anywhere. But what a turned out they keep up!

Fashion has decreed another season in tight skirts and the women will be compelled to submit, for she never will get the fashions.

President-elect Wilson has been in the months to generalize on what, if anything, the country. Then he will have a shot down to brass tacks.

But how could a man of his weight, President Taft trip the light, footless, as he is reported to have done at a White House event?

Everybody will be interested in the fact that President Wilson of the high idealism has argued on government policies. He has hitched his wagon to a star.

Somebody has suggested that General Taft for President in 1916. But such an open in four years. Col. Bryan will conclude to throw his hat in the ring this time.

Mayor Gaynor of New York says it is that in his opinion Washington and London were a pair of dums. It is true, but little of Epictetus and nothing of Gaynor.

In view of the number of "Who's Who" who are now coming to the front for the jobs, we wonder that the Republican party ever succeeded in electing a President.

A woman in the East wants a divorce because her husband habitually takes her feet. She ought to be glad that he is so fond of her feet. He is so fond of her feet that he is so fond of her feet that he is so fond of her feet.

Giuseppe Garibaldi, who helped Mazzini win the Presidency, will take command of the Mexican armies. What Mazzini was a real general, although Garibaldi was not so good at quality.

It may require some study, but while we shall be able to do all our cooking by the parcel post, but a pure maple syrup would be an excellent thing to send through the mails.

The clergyman who is always about hurting somebody's feelings is a man who will never be a success from a religious point of view, although he may be able to negotiate an increase of salary because he does not tread on the toes of his parishioners.

Discussions are going on in the newspapers about the collection girl. But this is a mystery to mere man, and the question whether or not it is the proper thing to go without stays must be left to the ladies themselves. We do not pretend to know.

It is suggested that President Wilson should ask Congress to take up the subject of currency question at the next session of Congress. It has been the subject of inquiry and preliminary legislation for three years, now, and it is a question that has either baffled or demanded the courage of every administration for the past twenty years.

THE SONG OF SONGS.

Over the roar of the cities,
 Over the hum of the mills,
 Is heard a song that never stops,
 A voice that never stills.

Epitaph as the sea is,
 Lyrical as the dawn,
 It sings and sings a song to the stars,
 And builds the world anew.

Dauntless, deathless, stern, but kind,
 Bold and free and strong,
 It sweeps with mastery over the world,
 And rolls the world along.

From soul to soul it wings its way,
 And, in the darkness deep,
 And all who heed that song of peace,
 View Earth with other eyes.

New eyes, new thoughts, that shall give
 Seeing as Beauty sees,
 Until the light of the farthest star
 Shall fold its rainbow wings.

(Madison Cawley, in Book of Sun in Fall)

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